



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
www.uspto.gov



Bib Data Sheet

CONFIRMATION NO. 9737

<b>SERIAL NUMBER</b> 10/682,545	<b>FILING OR 371(c) DATE</b> 10/08/2003 <b>RULE</b>	<b>CLASS</b> 536	<b>GROUP ART UNIT</b> 1623	<b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.</b> 03678.0073.DVUS04
------------------------------------	---	---------------------	-------------------------------	---

## APPLICANTS

Ward M. Peterson, Morrisville, NC;  
Benjamin R. Yerra, Raleigh, NC;

## \*\* CONTINUING DATA \*\*\*\*\*

This application is a DIV of 10/397,795 03/25/2003 PAT 6,818,629  
which is a CIP of 09/774,752 01/30/2001 PAT 6,596,725  
which is a CIP of 09/101,395 07/10/1998 PAT 6,348,589  
which is a 371 of PCT/US98/02702 02/06/1998  
and is a CIP of 08/798,508 02/10/1997 PAT 5,837,861

## \*\* FOREIGN APPLICATIONS \*\*\*\*\*

IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED \*\* SMALL ENTITY \*\*  
\*\* 01/14/2004

Foreign Priority claimed 35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met Verified and Acknowledged	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance Examiner's Signature Initials	<b>STATE OR COUNTRY</b> NC	<b>SHEETS DRAWING</b> 9	<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b> 21	<b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b> 3
--	--	-----------------------------------	--------------------------------	-------------------------------	------------------------------------

## ADDRESS

27194

## TITLE

Method of treating edematous retinal disorders

<b>FILING FEE RECEIVED</b> 469	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:	<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees ( Filing ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees ( Processing Ext. of time ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees ( Issue ) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Credit
---------------------------------------	---	---